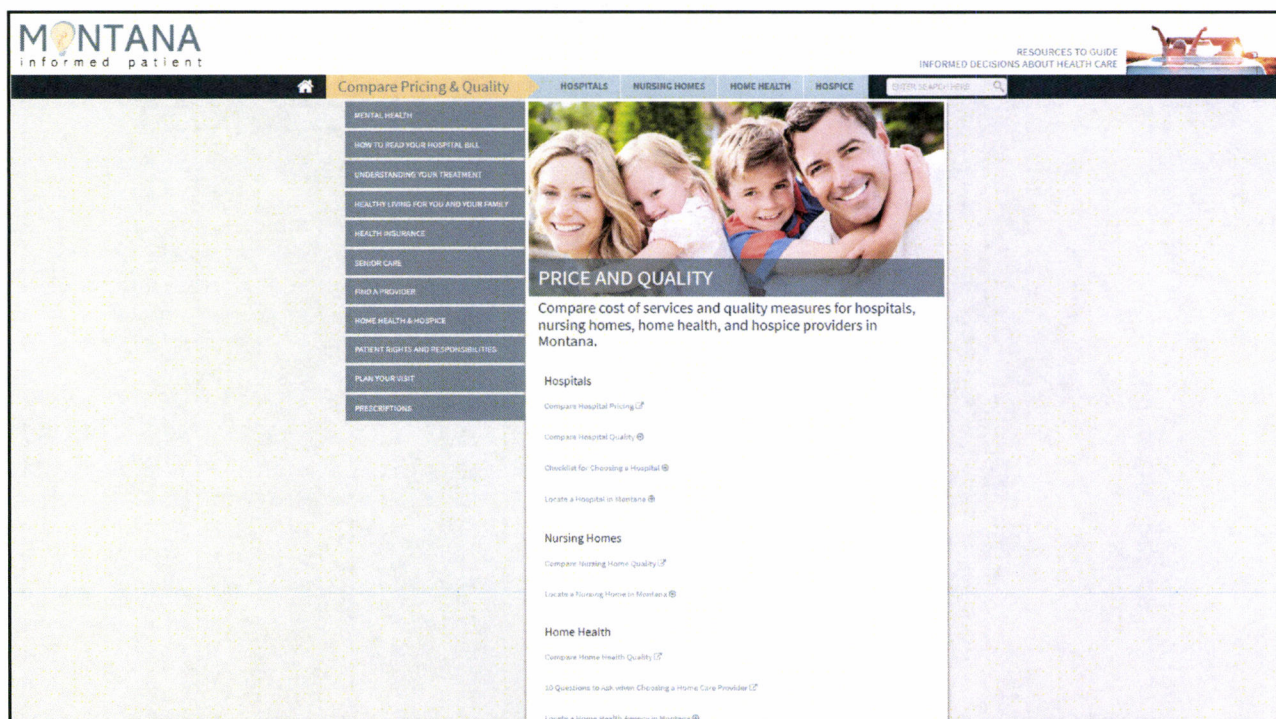
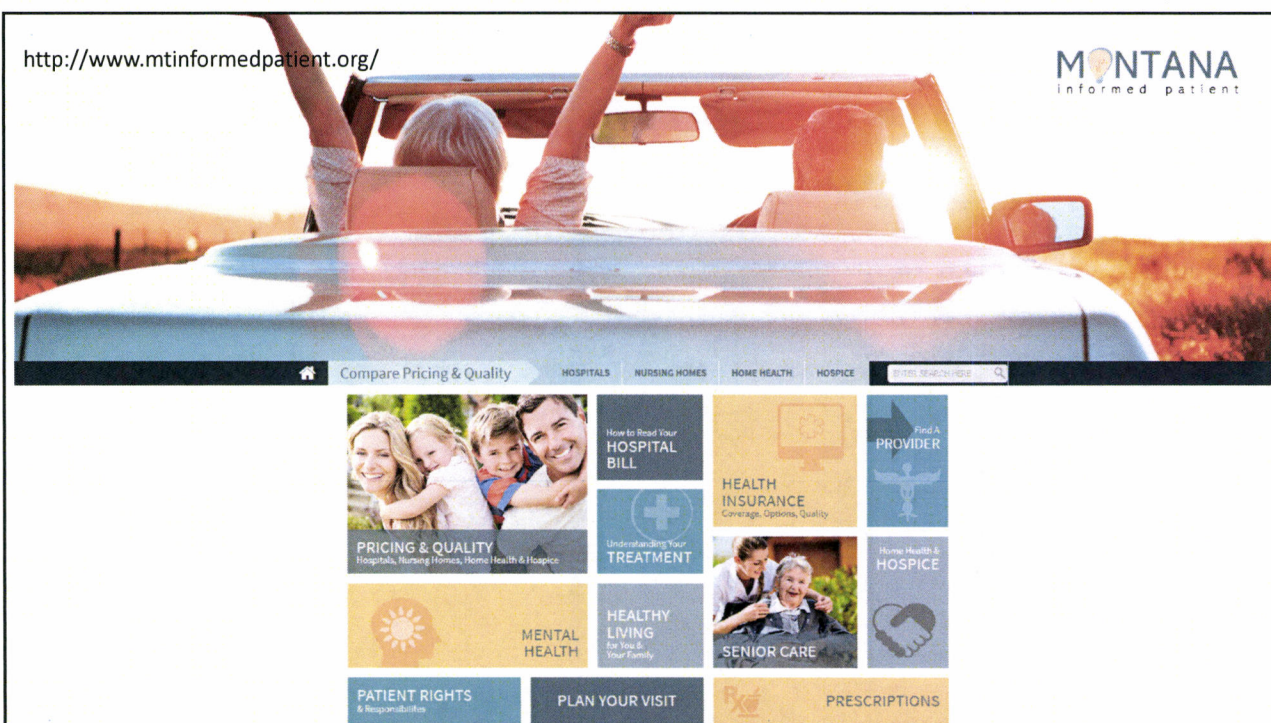


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**Welcome to Montana PricePoint**

This Web site allows health care consumers to receive basic, facility-specific information about services and charges. PricePoint provides information about two categories of services. Please select one of the following:

- INPATIENT** **Inpatient Services:** Services for which the patient is admitted to the hospitals.
- OUTPATIENT SERVICES** **Outpatient Services:** Selected services provided on an outpatient basis, such as outpatient surgery and invasive diagnostic procedures.
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<http://www.saintpatrick.org/>

P.O. Box 4587  
Missoula, MT 59806  
406-543-7271

### Vaginal delivery w/o complicating diagnoses January 2016 - December 2016

	Selected Hospital	All Hospitals in this Region	All MT Hospitals with Similar Peer Group	All Montana Hospitals
1 Number of Discharges	263	1,604	4,163	5,291
2 Average Length of Stay	1.8 Day(s)	1.9 Day(s)	2 Day(s)	1.9 Day(s)
3 Average Charge	\$10,325	\$10,298	\$8,917	\$9,008
4 Median Charge	\$10,223	\$9,568	\$8,315	\$8,385
5 Median Age	29	27	28	27
6 Percentage Male	0%	0%	0%	0%
7 Percentage Female	100%	100%	100%	100%

Select New Hospital

Select New Service at this Hospital

Compare Selected Hospital to Other Individual Hospitals

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	St. Patrick Hospital	Community Medical Center Missoula, MT 59804	Kalispell Regional Medical Center Kalispell, MT 59901	St. Peter's Hospital Helena, MT 59601
1 Number of Discharges	263	379	322	383
2 Average Length of Stay	1.8 Day(s)	2.2 Day(s)	1.9 Day(s)	1.9 Day(s)
3 Average Charge	\$10,325	\$12,250	\$8,275	\$5,898
4 Median Charge	\$10,223	\$11,118	\$7,992	\$5,869
5 Median Age	29	27	27	28
6 Percentage Male	0%	0%	0%	0%
7 Percentage Female	100%	100%	100%	100%

Select New Hospital

Select New Service at this Hospital

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1101 36th Street South  
Great Falls, MT 59405  
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#### SELECTED FACILITY

##### WITH NO OTHER PROCEDURES

Principal Procedure	Number of Cases (% of Total Cases)	Lower Charge	Median Charge	Higher Charge
Colonoscopy, Diagnostic (45378)	548 (100%)	\$1,921	\$1,931	\$2,245
Colonoscopy, Biopsy (45380)	598 (100%)	\$2,755	\$2,805	\$4,523
Sigmoidoscopy, Diagnostic (45330)	40 (100%)	\$966	\$991	\$1,616
Colonoscopy & Polypectomy (44392)	0 (0%)	0	0	0

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#### ALL FACILITIES IN SPECIFIC MEDICARE CLASS

##### WITH NO OTHER PROCEDURES

Principal Procedure	Number of Cases (% of Total Cases)	Lower Charge	Median Charge	Higher Charge
Colonoscopy, Diagnostic (45378)	5,776 (100%)	\$1,227	\$1,922	\$2,569
Colonoscopy, Biopsy (45380)	6,006 (100%)	\$2,091	\$2,777	\$4,018
Sigmoidoscopy, Diagnostic (45330)	278 (100%)	\$959	\$1,617	\$2,599
Colonoscopy & Polypectomy (44392)	0 (0%)	0	0	0

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#### ALL MONTANA FACILITIES

##### WITH NO OTHER PROCEDURES

Principal Procedure	Number of Cases (% of Total Cases)	Lower Charge	Median Charge	Higher Charge
Colonoscopy, Diagnostic (45378)	7,862 (100%)	\$1,266	\$2,004	\$2,877
Colonoscopy, Biopsy (45380)	7,496 (100%)	\$2,163	\$2,919	\$4,146
Sigmoidoscopy, Diagnostic (45330)	300 (100%)	\$867	\$1,621	\$2,600
Colonoscopy & Polypectomy (44392)	0 (0%)	0	0	0

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**COMPARING CHARGES AT MONTANA HOSPITALS**

SPENDING YOUR HEALTH CARE DOLLARS WISELY...  
 WHAT YOU SHOULD CONSIDER WHEN SEEKING MEDICAL CARE.

**MAKING INFORMED CHOICES**

This information can help you make informed choices. It is designed to show how health care costs for similar illnesses can vary by hospital. By using this information to let your health care providers know you plan to take an active role, you can make them more aware of the need for affordable, readily available care.

The information comes from the MHA COMPdata program. This data is grouped into illness categories which combined similar diagnoses and treatments. There is a brief description of each category.

The charges are averages based on the number of patients and total charges for that illness category as reported during the stated time frame. How long you are in the hospital, the level of care you receive, complications, special medical services, and fee increases all affect the costs of hospital services. Because these figures are averages, they will be different from what you are actually billed. Please note: these figures do not include Physician's Professional Fees.

Use this information to talk with your doctor about how to get the best care while keeping costs down.